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 Ink jet apparatus adapted to display state of use or time for replacement of cartridge and control method for same

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